## OFFICER SAFETY & SURVIVAL: TRAIN THE TRAINER

Class Limit: 16

**Course Location**: All classes held at SCCJA.

**Course Description:** (Please provide this information to the officer attending training).

This is an advanced four-day train the trainer course in officer safety and survival tactics and techniques. Attendees will identify and discuss different training aspects of officer safety and survival including, but not limited to: national and state statistics relating to in the line of duty deaths, high risk traffic stops, building searches/crimes in progress, stress and cardio disease, firearms training, defensive tactics, critical incident report writing, explosive devices and the psychology of training for officer survival. This course will prepare training officers/field training officers to better understand the need to properly train new officers in safety and survival tactics/techniques and to assist them in developing OSS training programs at their agency. Attendees will participate in situational training exercises that will simulate patrol operations and some will be conducted during evening hours. This course is physically demanding and those attending should be in good physical condition. Attendees will participate in night firing training exercises conducted during evening hours on the second day of training.

## Who Should Attend?

Class I certified law enforcement officers whose responsibilities include the training of other officers. Attendees should have a working knowledge of Uniform Patrol Operations and possess good communication skills prior to attending. Special emphasis in attending will be given to the departmental training officer or field training officer who has successfully completed the SCCJA Specific Skills, Firearms, Defensive Driving, Defensive Tactics or Basic Instructor Development (BID) course and is currently responsible for conducting training. (*This is NOT a SWAT or SRT School*).

## **Proficiency**

Officers must satisfactorily complete all practical exercises in order to pass the course.

**CLEE Credits**: 31 CLEE hours

## **Special Equipment:**

Attendees are required to wear their assigned duty uniform and/or appropriate police identifiable range/DT clothing during class and practical exercises. Attendees must bring ballistic duty vest, duty firearm, back-up/off duty firearm, shotgun, duty gear/equipment, handcuffs/keys, flashlight, gloves, defensive tactics clothing with tennis shoes, groin cup and mouthpiece (attendees may choose to bring their own elbow/knee pads and personal protection head/eye gear for Air-Soft force on force training). Students are required to bring 200 rounds of

ammunition for their duty firearm, 50 rounds of ammunition for back-up/off duty firearm and 25 rounds (.00 or bird shot) of ammunition for their shotgun to be used during the firearms course.					